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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: David C. Paul, *et al.*
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AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 CFR 1.312

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed July 7, 2005, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks under 37 CFR 1.312 for entry and consideration prior to the issuance of the above-identified application. Applicants believe the following amendments merely embody the correction of formal matters in the claims without changing the scope thereof.

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